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## PART I

**Punjab Government Notifications and Orders**

**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB**

**DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL**

(Personnel Policies-III Branch)

### NOTIFICATION

The 17th December, 2020

**No. PERS-PP-30MISC/35/2020-2PP3/I/118774/2020/1.**-It is hereby notified that the holidays enumerated in the schedule below shall be observed as Public Holidays in the public offices under the Punjab Government during the calendar year-2021: -

### SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Name of the Holiday(s)	Date on which it falls	Day of the week
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>All Saturdays</b>		
	<b>All Sundays</b>		
	<b>Other Holidays</b>		
1.	Birthday of Sri Guru Gobind Singh ji	20th January	Wednesday
2.	Republic Day	26th January	Tuesday
3.	Birthday of Sri Guru Ravidas ji	27th February	Saturday
4.	Maha Shivaratri	11th March	Thursday
5.	Holi	29th March	Monday
6.	Good Friday	02nd April	Friday

7.	Vaisakhi	13th April	Tuesday
8.	Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	14th April	Wednesday
9.	Ram Navami	21st April	Wednesday
10.	Mahavir Jayanti	25th April	Sunday
11.	Lord Parshuram Jayanti	14th May	Friday
12.	Idul-Fitr	14th May	Friday
13.	Martyrdom Day of Sri Guru Arjun Dev Ji	14th June	Monday
14.	Kabir Jayanti	24th June	Thursday
15.	Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)	21st July	Wednesday
16.	Independence day	15th August	Sunday
17.	Janam Ashtami	30th August	Monday
18.	Birthday of Mahatma Gandhi Ji	02nd October	Saturday
19.	Agarsain Jayanti	07th October	Thursday
20.	Dussehra	15th October	Friday
21.	Birthday of Maharishi Valmiki Ji	20th October	Wednesday
22.	Diwali	04th November	Thursday
23.	Vishwakarma Day	05th November	Friday
24.	Birthday of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji	19th November	Friday
25.	Martyrdom Day of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur ji	08th December	Wednesday
26.	Christmas day	25th December	Saturday

Note: 1: Besides the above holidays, each employee will also be permitted to avail himself/herself any two (2) holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the Restricted Holidays below during the Calendar Year-2021:-

Sr. No.	Name of the Holiday(s)	Date on which it falls	Day of the week
1	2	3	4
1.	New Year Day	01st January	Friday
2.	Lohri	13th January	Wednesday
3.	Nirwan Diwas of Bhagwan Adinath Ji	10th February	Wednesday
4.	Basant Panchmi/ Birthday of Satguru Ram Singh Ji	16th February	Tuesday
5.	International Women Day	08th March	Monday
6.	Shahidi Divas S. Bhagat Singh Ji	23rd March	Tuesday

7.	Hola Mohalla	29th March	Monday
8.	Birthday of Sri Guru Nabha Dass ji	08th April	Thursday
9.	May Day	01st May	Saturday
10.	Buddh Purnima	26th May	Wednesday
11.	Nirjala Ekadashi	21st June	Monday
12.	Death Anniversary of Maharaja Ranjit Singh Ji	29th June	Tuesday
13.	Martyrdom Day of Shaheed Udham Singh	31st July	Saturday
14.	Muharram	19th August	Thursday
15.	Birthday of Baba Jiwan Singh Ji	05th September	Sunday
16.	Pehla Parkash Utsav Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji	07th September	Tuesday
17.	Saragarhi Day	12th September	Sunday
18.	Birthday of Baba Sri Chand Ji	15th September	Wednesday
19.	Anant Chaturdashi	19th September	Sunday
20.	Birthday of S. Bhagat Singh Ji	28th September	Tuesday
21.	Birthday of Baba Banda Singh Ji Bahadur	16th October	Saturday
22.	Birthday of Prophet Mohammad Sahib (Milad-un-Nabi or Id-e-Milad)	19th October	Tuesday
23.	Birthday of Sri Guru Ram Dass ji	22nd October	Friday
24.	Karva Chauth	24th October	Sunday
25.	Birthday of Sant Nam Dev ji	26th October	Tuesday
26.	New Punjab Day	01st November	Monday
27.	Goverdhan Pooja	05th November	Friday
28.	Guru Gaddi diwas Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji	06th November	Saturday
29.	Chhath Pooja	10th November	Wednesday
30.	Martyrdom Day of S. Kartar Singh Sarabha ji	16th November	Tuesday
31.	Jor Mela Fatehgarh Sahib	25, 26 and 27.12.2021	Saturday, Sunday and Monday

Note 2 : In addition to the above holidays each employee will be permitted to avail himself/herself any four (4) second half day holidays to be chosen by him/her to join the Nagar Kirtan/ Sobha Yatra in connection with the list of occasion given below during the Calendar Year, 2021 and the concerned Controlling Authority shall ensure to maintain the record of such holidays:-

1. Birthday of Sri Guru Gobind Singh ji

2. Birthday of Sri Guru Ravidas Ji
3. Maha Shivratri
4. Ram Navami
5. Mahavir Jayanti
6. Vaisakhi
7. Martyrdom Day of Sri Guru Arjun Dev Ji
8. Janam Ashtami
9. Id-ul-Fitr
10. Birthday of Sri Guru Ram Dass Ji
11. Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)
12. Birthday of Maharishi Valmiki Ji
13. Birthday of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji
14. Martyrdom Day of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji
15. Christmas day

The rules applicable in the Restricted Holidays will also be applicable for these half day holidays.

**Note 3:**        **The festival of ‘Raksha Bandhan’ falls on 22nd August, 2021 (Sunday).**

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